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LESSON GUILLEVIC

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Blood is a complicated liquid Which circulates. Its shade of red Is not seen elsewhere and it changes Like a wide plain under several moons.

Blood contains numerous bodies, The formula is known by some.

It is our blood. It Turns and comes back, It nourishes.

Blood flows easily, All it needs is an opening.

The blood of someone killed by accident Is not the same, on the pavement,

As the blood of someone killed for liberty, Also spilled on the pavement.

They are, each of them, ways Of being red, and of crying.